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Title: POLYNUCLEIC ACIDS ISOLATED FROM A PORCINE REPRODUCTIVE AND RESPIRATORY SYNDROME VIRUS (PRRSV), PROTEINS ENCODED BY THE POLYNUCLEIC ACIDS, VACCINES BASED ON THE PROTEINS AND/OR POLYNUCLEIC ACIDS, AND/OR...

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

All finally rejected claims in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated March 4, 2004 are hereby appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.

Small entity status is hereby claimed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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